Docket No.: 713-484

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Philip Charles CLARK

Serial No. 09/856,043

Filed: May 15, 2001

For:

POWER ACTUATED TOOLS

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

EXPEDITED PROCEDURE RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

Group Art Unit: 3721

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Transmitted herewith is a Request for Reconsideration in the above identified application.

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] A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

] Also attached:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF	HIGHEST	EXTRA	RATE	FEE
	CLAIMS	PREVIOUSLY	CLAIMS		
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Total Claims	21	21	0	x \$ 18 =	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	3	3	0	x \$ 84 =	\$ 0.00
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				TOTAL FEE DUE	\$ 0.00

] A credit card authorization form in the amount of \$ is attached

[X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-1337, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

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Sir:

This paper is submitted in reply to the Office Action mailed July 7, 2003, which was made Final. Reconsideration and allowance of the subject application in view of the following remarks is respectfully requested.